IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 745 OF 2007

Devram Parvatrao Sathe ..Petitioner

versus

State of Maharashtra & Ors. ..Respondents

Shri Shirish Gupte with Shri H. S. Venegavkar for the Petitioner.

Shri A. S. Gadkari, APP for the Respondents - State.

Shri M. S. Mohite for the Intervenor.

CORAM : R.M.S. KHANDEPARKAR &
SMT. V.K. TAHILRAMANI, JJ.

DATE : 12TH JULY, 2007.

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1. The learned APP on taking instructions state that the police have decided to register the FIR on the basis of the complaint dated 10.3.2007 and Mr. Rauf Shaikh, P.I, is the Investigating Officer in the matter. We accept the said statement and as a police have decided to register the FIR and investigate the matter in relation to complaint dated 10.3.2007, nothing further survives in the Petition. Needless to say that the Investigating

Officer is expected to complete the investigation as expeditiously as possible. We however make it clear that we have not expressed any opinion on any of the points sought to be raised in the petition. We also make it clear that pursuant to the registration of FIR, in case the police would require to arrest the persons named in the complaint, they should given advance notice of atleast 72 hours to the petitioners. Petition accordingly stands disposed of. Interim directions stand vacated.

2. In view of the disposal of the Petition, Criminal Application No. 166 of 2007 does not survive and stands disposed of

(R.M.S. KHANDEPARKAR, J.)

(SMT. V.K. TAHILRAMANI, J.)